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5 **AMENDMENT "A" PRIOR TO ACTION**

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10 INVENTION: "METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR  
DETERMINING AT LEAST ONE DIGITAL VALUE  
FROM AN ELECTRICAL SIGNAL"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

15 Sir:

Applicants herewith amend the above-referenced PCT application,  
and request entry of the Amendment prior to examination on the United  
States National Examination Phase.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

20 On substitute page 1, cancel the title and text above line 3, and  
insert the following above line 3:

**-TITLE**

**METHOD AND ARRANGEMENT FOR DETERMINING AT LEAST ONE  
DIGITAL SIGNAL FROM AN ELECTRICAL SIGNAL**

**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

The present invention relates to a method and an arrangement for  
determining at least one digital signal from an electrical signal.--;

in line 7, cancel "[5]" substitute -Yu-Li You et al., "Blind

Equalization by Alternating Minimization for Applications to  
Mobilecommunications", Globecom '95, IEEE Global